

## Y. M. C. A. COMPLETES TASK OF WELCOMING FRESHMEN

With the president and deans' reception to the freshman class last night, the Y. M. C. A. completed its task of welcoming the 500 new students to the University. Work started on September 1, when the first students began to arrive. Early in the month letters were sent to every freshman who had registered, offering the new men the services of the association in locating rooms and employment and in entering the University. For the first task, a complete canvass of the business houses and private residences of Columbia was made by the employment bureau. Over 200 jobs were listed. Since that time 177 men have applied to the bureau for work and 187 jobs have been furnished. Fifty-six permanent positions have been obtained for students through its efforts. Besides securing employment, the bureau held an employment conference, in which the men working their way were given the benefit of the experience of others who had gone before them.

L. L. Hubbard, employment secretary, said of the work: "Very few skilled workers applied. Most of the students wished any position which could be found. Among the 177 applicants, approximately thirty-eight had had experience as farmers and fifty as clerks."

There were five teachers, fifteen mechanics and twelve stenographers and bookkeepers. As to the financial condition of the students, a few men came with no money whatever; some came with as high as \$500. The average amount was \$170.

The lists of the rooming house bureau, containing names, charges and locations of 172 houses have been in use daily.

During the few days preceding registration, information booths were established at the trains, which were met by a committee of Y. M. C. A. men. Tags, giving a general welcome to the University, were distributed among the old students, "just to make the freshmen know that they were wanted."

The Y. M. C. A. Student Handbook, giving a survey of the University and student activities, was given to every man in the University at registration. Copies are on hand at the Y. M. C. A. office and may be had upon application.

Approximately 300 freshmen were entertained by the association at the open houses which began Wednesday, September 12, and continued to Tuesday, September 18. The feature nights were foreign students' night and the annual watermelon feast. September 16, a Sunday morning meeting was held, in which about fifty men were recruited for the University men's Bible classes in the local churches.

### Christian College Notes

Miss Vera Cobleigh of Bartlesville, Okla., arrived Wednesday to enter the conservatory of music.

Misses Laura Moss Stephens and Jennie Hockaday are guests of President St. Clair-Moss for the week-end.

Misses Laura Owens and Harriet Bell, students of the University, are Sunday dinner guests of Miss Lina V. Swann.

Miss Miriam Rowell of the class of 1917, now a student at the University, has entered the conservatory as a piano senior.

Miss Sarah Morris of the class of 1917 has accepted a position in the public schools at Pilot Grove, Mo.

Miss Hester Brite of the academy is a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. J. E. Higbee of East Broadway.

Misses Nada Wild of Trenton, Mo., and Nannie George of Mayfield, Ky., of the class of 1917 arrived on Monday to enter the University.

Misses Helen Jenkins and Dorothy Aldrich attended a tea at the Alpha Delta Pi house on Thursday.

Miss Naidine Moore of Charleston, Mo., a student at Christian College for the last four years, paid a farewell visit to college friends before leaving for Washington, D. C., where she will enter school.

Miss Belle Hope Robinson of the class of 1917, now teaching at Sturgeon, Mo., was a guest at the party given by the old girls to the new on last Saturday night.

Miss Mabel Braffett, a college junior, entered the Parker Memorial Hospital on Friday for an operation for appendicitis. Her mother arrived Saturday to be with her and is a guest of the college.

Registration of delayed students is still in progress, but all classes and departments are organized and at work. Two, and in some instances three, sections have been organized in courses to meet the requirements of the increased enrollment. Orders have been placed for additional tablet arm chairs for class rooms.

**Was Tool of German Plotters.**  
By Associated Press  
CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Jasper T. Darling, one time president of the American Embargo Conference, in a signed statement today said he was convinced that he had been made the tool of German plotters.

**Brown Home Has Been Rebuilt.**  
The home of Mrs. M. C. Brown, 716 Maryland place, which was destroyed by fire August 2, has been rebuilt and a third story added to the structure. Mrs. Brown will continue her boarding and rooming house for students.

University men, hear Mr. N. T. Gentry at the Presbyterian Church at 9:45.

## AT THE CHURCHES

### Christian.

Bible school at the Christian Church will meet at 9:30 o'clock. There will be special classes for students and men in the city are invited to become members of the men's class. Morning worship will be at 10:45 o'clock. The subject of the sermon by the pastor, the Rev. M. A. Hart, will be "The Meaning of Religion." Evening worship will be at 7:30 o'clock with a sermon on "A Suspended Choice." There will be special music at both services. Intermediate Endeavor will be held at 6:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night.

### Baptist.

Sunday School will be held at 9:30 o'clock. Morning services will be held at 10:45 o'clock. The subject of the sermon by the pastor, the Rev. T. W. Young, will be "Matriculation in the School of Christ." The Young People's Union will meet at 6:30 o'clock. At the evening service at 7:30 o'clock the subject of the sermon will be "Choosing of Plans." The faculty and students of Stephens College will attend in a body.

### Calvary Church.

September 23, the sixteenth Sunday after Trinity, the services at Calvary Church are to be as follows: At 7:30 o'clock in the morning, a celebration of the Holy Communion will be held; at 11 o'clock morning prayer is to be read and a sermon preached by the

rector; at 7:30 o'clock evening prayer will be held. Sunday School is opened every Sunday at 9:45 o'clock.

### Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Classes for University men and women. Worship at 11 o'clock, when Doctor Elwang will speak on "A Portrait of a New Testament Good Man." Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. You will be welcome.

### Broadway Methodist.

The University student classes will meet in the church this year. A large enrollment is expected. The Sunday School meets at 9:30 o'clock. The Reverend Hayne will preach both morning and evening. Morning worship will be at 10:45 o'clock, and the evening services at 7:30 o'clock. The Senior Epworth League will meet at 6:30 o'clock in the basement. The Intermediate League meets at the same time in the chapel room.

### Catholic.

First mass at the Catholic Church will be held at 7 o'clock and high mass at 10 o'clock. "What Think You of Christ?" will be the subject of the sermon. The evening service will be held at 7:30 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be "The Forgiveness of Sins."

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